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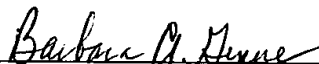
Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an Extension of Time of two (2) months to file a Response in the above-identified patent application. This will serve to extend the time for filing the Response to Final Office Action mailed July 2, 2003 from October 2, 2003, up to and including December 2, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$210.00 and any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 2312/2042 for maintaining the pendency of the present application. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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